Department in spite of sufficient chargeable materials against them ?

Sri T. SIDDALINGAIYA.—That is not correct.

Sri M. RAJASEKHARA MURTHY.—Are any of the officers of the Anti-Corruption Department being tried for corruption charges ?

Sri T. SIDDALINGAIYA.—No such case has arisen so far.

Sri M. RAJASEKHARA MURTHY.—Have instances come to the notice of Government where some of the Inspectors of the Anti-Corruption Department cook up anonymous petitions, conduct unofficial enquiries and destroy the petitions after taking bribe from those officials ?

Sri T. SIDDALINGAIYA.—If the Hon'ble Member brings it to the notice of Government, I think serious action would be taken against such persons.

Sri M. RAJASEKHARA MURTHY.—Is it a fact that allegations made against five non-gazetted officers are baseless and prejudicial ?

Sri T. SIDDALINGAIYA.—That is left to the authority to make enquiries and give decisions. Now I am not in a position to give decisions.

Sri M. RAJASEKHARA MURTHY.—Is it a fact that officers belonging only to certain communities are victims of this Department ?

Sri T. SIDDALINGAIYA.—Corruption has no communal basis. Corruption is corruption everywhere. A man of any community will be equally treated either for good or for bad.

Sri M. RAJASEKHARA MURTHY.—What is the punishment that has been given to these people in whose case the corruption charges have been proved ?

Sri T. SIDDALINGAIYA.—Cases are I think by hundreds. If you actually put any question with regard to a definite person, I may be able to reply.

Sri M. V. RAMA RAO (Tumkur).—What is the prevailing administrative practice with regard to anti-corruption cases ; is it the practice to go through the reports submitted by the Anti-Corruption Officer or to scrutinise the evidence collected ?

Sri T. SIDDALINGAIYA.—Both.

ಶ್ರೀ ಮುಲ್ಕ ಗೋವಿಂದರೆಡ್ಡಿ (ಚಿತ್ರದುರ್ಗ).—ಸೇಲ್ಸ್‌ಟಾಕ್ಸ್ ಆಫೀಸರಗಳ ಮೇಲೇನಾದರೂ ದೂರು ಬಂದು ಎಲ್ಲಾದರೂ ತನಿಖೆ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದೀರಾ ?

Sri T. SIDDALINGAIYA.—I think it is too general a question. There are so many cases against Sales-Tax officers also.

Shifting Industries to Rajaji Nagar.

Q.—102. **Sri R. ANANTARAMAN** (Chamarajpet).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the number of acres of dry land acquired for forming industrial suburbs in Rajajinagar by the City Improvement Trust Board ;

(*b*) whether it was not their object to shift small and big industrial concerns situated in Bangalore Corporation area and to provide for new industrial concerns ;

(*c*) the number of new industrial concerns that are established ;

(*d*) the number of industrial concerns shifted from the Corporation area to Rajajinagar ;

(*e*) the steps taken to get the industrial concerns in Corporation area shifted ?

A.—**Sri T. CHANNIAH** (Minister for Public Health and Local Self-Government).—

(*a*) 304 acres.

(*b*) The object with which the industrial suburb is formed is to provide sites with full facilities for new industries likely to be started in Bangalore and also to provide for such of the existing industries who like to shift from the City. In order to induce the existing industries in the City to shift to suburb, Government have sanctioned a concessional rate of Rs. 1-8-0 per square yard for the old industries against Rs. 2 per square yard for new industries.

(*c*) 26 (twenty-six) sites have been allotted for 13 new industries and 3 of them are established.

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(*d*) Eleven sites have been allotted for nine industries and three of them have nearly completed the erection of their buildings.

(*e*) There is no legal enactment by which these industries could be compelled to shift. The industrial suburb is not yet provided with water supply; when all the facilities are available it is expected that the existing industries in the City would gradually shift as there would be no scope for expansion in the City.

Sri R. ANANTARAMAN.—What is the cause of acquisition of 304 acres ?

Mr. SPEAKER.—You have not sought that information in your question. Any other supplementary ?

Sri R. ANANTARAMAN.—Have the Government recently decided to drop acquistion proceedings in some cases at least ?

*Sri T. CHANNIAH.—No.

Sri R. ANANTARAMAN.—It is stated in answer to (*c*) that 26 sites have been allotted for 13 new industries. May I know which are those new industrial concerns that have been granted sites ?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—I want notice.

Sri R. ANANTARAMAN.—Which are the three old industrial concerns which have been shifted to the suburb ?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—I have no information here.

Sri R. ANANTARAMAN.—Do you not think that legal enactment is necessary to compel these existing industries to be shifted to Rajajinagar ?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—If there is any necessity, Government will consider.

Sri R. ANANTARAMAN.—May I know how many agricultural families have been affected by this acquisition ?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—Even that information is not available.

Sri R. ANANTARAMAN.—Is it the policy of the present Government to see that existing industries are shifted to Rajajinagar ?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—That is the intention.

Sri R. ANANTARAMAN.—When are you going to dispose of the rest of the sites, at this rate ?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—As and when the demand comes from the industrial concerns we will dispose of.

Sri H. K. VEERANNA GOWDH (Maddur).—It is stated that 40 sites have been allotted. What about the rest of the land ? Is it vacant ?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—They are vacant. They have not been disposed of.

Sri H. K. VEERANNA GOWDH.—Are they given for temporary cultivation ?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—No.

Sri H. K. VEERANNA GOWDH.—Do you admit that most of the lands in Rajajinagar are being cultivated by raiyats—I do not know by previous owners or new owners ?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—All those lands which have been acquired have not been cultivated.

Sri H. K. VEERANNA GOWDH.—Do you admit that the lands for which sites have been demarcated are being cultivated to-day, this hour ?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—Government have no information.

Outbreak of cholera and plague and havoc of malaria in Kolar District.

Q.—128. **Sri G. NARAYANA GOWDA** (Mulbagal-Srinivaspur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether the outbreaks of cholera and plague and the havoc of malaria in Kolar District have come to their notice ;

(*b*) the preventive measures they have taken ?

A.—**Sri T. CHANNIAH** (Minister for Public Health and Local Self-Government).—

(*a*) Cholera—Yes.
Plague } —No.
Malaria }

(*b*) To control cholera, prompt action has been taken, every time reports have been received. In each instance, the District Health Officer